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E.O. 11652: XGDS-4
TAGS: PINT, SHUM, UR
SUBJECT: ORLOV AND GAMSAKHURDIA/KOSTAVA TRIAL
TRANSCRIPTS

REF: STATE 138928 (NOTAL)

1. WE SEE NO PROBLEM WITH EMBASSY'S SENDING LOW-KEY LETTER TO MINISTRY OF JUSTICE REQUESTING COPIES OF TRIAL TRANSCRIPTS. TRIALS WERE SUPPOSEDLY OPEN, AND TRANSCRIPTS SHOULD, BY ANALOGY, BE AVAILABLE.
2. AS A PRACTICAL MATTER, HOWEVER, WE DO NOT EXPECT TO BE GIVEN TRANSCRIPTS, ANY MORE THAN WE EXPECTED TO BE ADMITTED TO THE ORLOV COURTROOM. AS DEPARTMENT WILL RECALL, MRS. ORLOV AND ORLOV'S TWO SONS WERE PREVENTED FROM MAKING ANY WRITTEN NOTES DURING THE TRIAL. IF THERE IS A RESPONSE TO OUR APPROACH, IT IS LIKELY TO INVOLVE RITUAL ACCUSATIONS OF INTER-FERENCE IN SOVIET INTERNAL AFFAIRS.
3. UNOFFICIAL SOURCES TELL US THAT MRS. ORLOV HAS ALMOST COMPLETED A REPORT ON THE PROCEEDINGS. WE
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UNDERSTAND SHE WANTS TO GIVE EMBASSY A COPY. WE
WILL OF COURSE IMMEDIATELY ADVISE DEPARTMENT WHEN
WE RECEIVE IT. MATLOCK

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Message Attributes

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